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U.S. Department
of Transportation

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**Pipeline and Hazardous
Materials Safety Administration**

DOT-SP 14318

EXPIRATION DATE: November 30, 2008

(FOR RENEWAL, SEE 49 CFR § 107.109)

1. GRANTEE: Lockheed-Martin Technical Operations
Vandenberg AFB, CA
2. PURPOSE AND LIMITATION:
 - a. This special permit authorizes the transportation in commerce of certain Division 2.3, Division 6.1 and Class 8 materials in a non-DOT Specification portable tank conforming to the requirements specified in § 172.102(c)(7) PORTABLE TANK CODE T50 (UN portable tank) which are designed, constructed, certified and stamped in accordance with Section VIII, Division 1 of the ASME Code (2004 edition). This special permit provides no relief from the Hazardous Materials Regulations (HMR) other than as specifically stated herein.
 - b. The safety analyses performed in the development of this special permit only considered the hazards and risks associated with the transportation in commerce. The safety analyses did not consider the hazards and risks associated with use as a component of a transport vehicle or other device, or other uses not associated with transportation in commerce.
3. REGULATORY SYSTEM AFFECTED: 49 CFR Parts 106, 107 and 171-180.
4. REGULATIONS FROM WHICH EXEMPTED: 49 CFR §§ 178.274(b), 178.275(a) and 178.276(b)(1) in that tanks designed, constructed, certified and stamped in accordance with Section VIII, Division 1 of the ASME Code (2004 edition with the latest Addenda) are not authorized except as specified herein.

5. BASIS: This special permit is based on the application of Lockheed Martin Technical Operations dated January 9, 2006 and additional information dated December 8, 2006, submitted in accordance with § 107.105 and the public proceeding thereon.
6. HAZARDOUS MATERIALS (49 CFR § 172.101):

Hazardous Materials Description			
Proper Shipping Name	Hazard Class/ Division	Identification Number	Packing Group
Dinitrogen tetroxide	2.3	UN1067	Hazard Zone A
Hydrazine, anhydrous	8	UN2029	I
Methylhydrazine	6.1	UN1244	I, Hazard Zone A

NOTE: The provisions of 49 CFR 172.101, Column 9B apply to air shipments made under the terms of this special permit

7. SAFETY CONTROL MEASURES:

a. PACKAGING - Packaging prescribed is a non-DOT Specification portable tank conforming to the requirements of § 172.102(c)(7) PORTABLE TANK CODE T50 (UN portable tank) which are designed, constructed, certified and stamped in accordance with Section VIII, Division 1 of the ASME Code (2004 edition). Each tank is fabricated of 316L stainless steel and is approximately 54.5 inches in diameter and 83 inches in length. The tank assembly must conform to Columbiana Boiler Company's drawing number 121605, dated January 9, 2006, other drawing, specifications and calculations submitted with and forming a part of the application and on file with the Office of Hazardous Materials Special Permits and Approvals.

- b. TESTING -

(1) Hydrostatic test certificates for each tank must be maintained by the owner and made available upon request to any representative of DOT.

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(2) Each tank must be inspected and tested as specified in § 180.605(c)(1) for UN portable tanks.

(3) Repair or alteration of any tank shall be performed by a repair facility holding a valid National Board Certificate of Authorization for use of the National Board "R" stamp and must be made in accordance with the edition of the National Board Inspection Code in effect at the time the work is performed.

c. OPERATIONAL CONTROLS -

(1) Each portable tank must be in dedicated commodity service.

(2) The maximum pressure authorized during transportation must not exceed 65 psig.

(3) The maximum temperature during transportation must not exceed 140°F.

(4) Each tank must be individually transported within in a dedicated enclosed metal sided truck with vehicle escort.

(5) Each portable tank must be filled by weight.

(6) Each tank must be visually inspected prior to shipment to ensure that it has not been damaged during loading

8. SPECIAL PROVISIONS:

a. A person who is not a holder of this special permit who receives a package covered by this special permit may reoffer it for transportation provided no modification or change is made to the package or its contents and it is reoffered for transportation in conformance with this special permit and the HMR.

b. A current copy of this special permit must be maintained at each facility where the package is offered or reoffered for transportation.

c. Portable tanks are only authorized for support of government satellite and target launch processing.

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- d. Each portable tank must be plainly and durably marked on both sides near the middle, in letters and numerals at least two inches high on a contrasting background, "DOT-SP 14318".
9. MODES OF TRANSPORTATION AUTHORIZED: Motor vehicle, cargo aircraft only, and cargo vessel.
10. MODAL REQUIREMENTS: A current copy of this exemption must be carried aboard each cargo vessel, aircraft or motor vehicle used to transport packages covered by this exemption. The shipper must furnish a copy of this exemption to the air carrier before or at the time the shipment is tendered.
11. COMPLIANCE: Failure by a person to comply with any of the following may result in suspension or revocation of this special permit and penalties prescribed by the Federal hazardous materials transportation law, 49 U.S.C. 5101 et seq:
- o All terms and conditions prescribed in this special permit and the Hazardous Materials Regulations, 49 CFR Parts 171-180.
 - o Persons operating under the terms of this special permit must comply with the security plan requirement in Subpart I of Part 172 of the HMR, when applicable.
 - o Registration required by § 107.601 et seq., when applicable.

Each "Hazmat employee", as defined in § 171.8, who performs a function subject to this special permit must receive training on the requirements and conditions of this special permit in addition to the training required by §§ 172.700 through 172.704.

No person may use or apply this special permit, including display of its number, when this special permit has expired or is otherwise no longer in effect.

Under Title VII of the Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users (SAFETEA-LU)—"The Hazardous Materials Safety and Security Reauthorization Act of 2005" (Pub. L. 109-59), 119 Stat. 1144 (August 10, 2005), amended the Federal hazardous materials transportation law by changing the term "exemption" to "special permit" and authorizes a special

permit to be granted up to two years for new special permits and up to four years for renewals.

12. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS: Shipments or operations conducted under this special permit are subject to the Hazardous Materials Incident Reporting requirements specified in 49 CFR §§ 171.15 - Immediate notice of certain hazardous materials incidents, and 171.16 - Detailed hazardous materials incident reports. In addition, the grantee(s) of this special permit must notify the Associate Administrator for Hazardous Materials Safety -- OHMSPA, in writing, of any incident involving a package, shipment or operation conducted under terms of this special permit.

Issued in Washington, D.C.:



for Robert A. McGuire
Associate Administrator
for Hazardous Materials Safety

Address all inquiries to: Associate Administrator for Hazardous Materials Safety, Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration, Department of Transportation, Washington, D.C. 20590. Attention: PHH-31.

Copies of this special permit may be obtained by accessing the Hazardous Materials Safety Homepage at http://hazmat.dot.gov/sp_app/special_permits/spec_perm_index.htm Photo reproductions and legible reductions of this special permit are permitted. Any alteration of this special permit is prohibited.

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